CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill.

SENATOR CLARK: LB 291 is finally advanced. LB 59.

CLERK: Mr. President, if I may right before that, Education gives notice of hearing.

Your committee on Urban Affairs reports LB 281 advanced to General File with committee amendments attached. That is signed by Senator Newell as Chair. (See pages 484-485 of the Legislative Journal.)

Your committee on Education reports LB 209 General File with committee amendments attached; LB 445 General File with committee amendments attached; LB 257 indefinitely postponed. Those are signed by Senator Vickers as Chair. (See page 485 of the Legislative Journal.)

Your committee on Banking reports LB 241 advance to General File with committee amendments attached. That is signed by Senator DeCamp as Chair. (See pages 485-486 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, LB 59 was a bill introduced by Senators Warner, Carsten, Landis, Marsh and Fowler. (Read.) The bill was first read on January 6. It was reported to the Revenue Committee. The bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. I do have Revenue Committee amendments pending.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Carsten, on the committee amendments. Could we have a little quiet please so we can hear him.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, the only committee amendment that was attached to the bill was to add the emergency clause and the purpose for that was that if it is going to be retroactive to January 1, the sooner the bill goes into effect, assuming that it passes, the quicker the cash flow will come in and the less withholding would have to be imposed. And it was with that philosophy that we did add the emergency clause and I would move for the adoption of that committee amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: The question is the committee amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted on the committee amendments? Voting aye, Pat.

CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.